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REF PA060008 PANAMA CITY ACAN SPANISH 052320 -- EL SALVADOR:  
DUARTE READY TO TRADE 22 GUERRILLAS FOR DAUGHTER

EL SALVADOR: NEGOTIATIONS ON DUARTE KIDNAPPING 'STALEMATED'

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SAN SALVADOR RADIO CADENA YSU IN SPANISH 2326 GMT 5 OCT 85

((TEXT)) CULTURE AND COMMUNICATIONS MINISTER JULIO ADOLFO REY PRENDES HAS REPORTED THAT THE NEGOTIATIONS REGARDING THE KIDNAPPING OF MR DUARTE'S DAUGHTER ARE STALEMATED. (HE ADDED) THAT THE GOVERNMENT IS KEEPING SILENT IN THIS REGARD SO REPORTS WILL NOT HINDER THE INVESTIGATION. THEREFORE, WE ((WORDS INDISTINCT)) THE REASON FOR THE STAGNATION OF THE NEGOTIATIONS. HE SAID THAT FOR ITS PART, THE GOVERNMENT HAS NOT REPORTED THAT THE KIDNAPPERS ARE DEMANDING POLITICAL PRISONERS IN EXCHANGE FOR THE RELEASE OF INES GUADALUPE DUARTE DURAN.

THE LATEST CONTACT WITH THE KIDNAPPERS WAS FRIDAY AND THERE HAVE BEEN NO FURTHER CONTACTS SINCE THAT TIME. REGARDING THE IDENTITY OF THE CAPTORS, REY PRENDES SAID THAT THE GOVERNMENT HAS NOT SAID THAT GUERRILLAS ARE HOLDING HER. IN THIS REGARD HE SAID:

((BEGIN RECORDING)) WE HAVE ONLY REFERRED TO THE PERSONS WHO HAVE SAID WHO IS HOLDING HER CAPTIVE. ((SENTENCE AS HEARD)) WE HAVE REFERRED TO QUESTIONS FROM NEWSMEN AND TO STATEMENTS BY THE ARCHBISHOP OF SAN SALVADOR, WHO SAID THAT THERE IS NO DOUBT THAT SHE IS BEING HELD BY THE GUERRILLAS OF THE FMLN. ((END RECORDING))

IN ADDITION, HE NOTED THAT JULIO ROMERO TALAVERA (WAS SET FREE) AT THE REQUEST OF THE COSTA RICAN GOVERNMENT, BUT THAT ((THIS)) WILL BE LEFT IN THE HANDS OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY. ((ENDALL)) 052326 [REDACTED] 060037Z OCT

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